

House Resolution 175

By: Representatives Rynders of the 152nd, Dukes of the 150th, Fullerton of the 151st, Hanner of the 148th, Cheokas of the 134th, and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring the services of Dr. Phillip Lee Roberts, M.D., and recognizing the Phoebe Cancer
2 Center pavilion at Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital as the Phillip L. Roberts, M.D. Cancer
3 Pavilion; and for other purposes.

4 WHEREAS, the staff and patients of Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital are most grateful for
5 the many contributions of Dr. Phillip Lee Roberts, M.D., and would like to pay tribute to his
6 legacy by naming the Phoebe Cancer Center pavilion in his honor; and

7 WHEREAS, Dr. Roberts joined the Phoebe Cancer Center as Medical Director in 1990,
8 providing a vital service to the residents of Southwest Georgia; and

9 WHEREAS, during his time with the Center, the need for state-of-the-art cancer care has
10 increased tremendously, and Dr. Roberts has worked tirelessly to serve his patients at the
11 Center and throughout the region; and

12 WHEREAS, Dr. Roberts has devoted his career to striving to provide a high level of
13 compassionate, cutting-edge, and professional care to the entire Southwest Georgia
14 community; and

15 WHEREAS, a distinguished and respected medical professional, Dr. Roberts has chosen to
16 delay his retirement so that he may continue to devote his expertise to the care of his patients
17 and his professional support and leadership to his peer physicians; and

18 WHEREAS, Dr. Roberts's influence on the Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital, the Phoebe
19 Cancer Center, and the many patients and physicians whose lives he has touched during his
20 incredible career will live on through generations; and

21 WHEREAS, it is appropriate that we honor Dr. Roberts for his many contributions to health
22 care in this state by recognizing the Phoebe Putney Cancer Center pavilion in honor of this
23 compassionate and gifted man of medicine.

24 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
25 the members of this body commend Dr. Phillip Lee Roberts, M.D., and recognize the Phoebe
26 Putney Cancer Center pavilion as the Phillip L. Roberts, M.D. Cancer Pavilion.

27 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
28 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Phillip L. Roberts, M.D.